KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification of the sale of the right to collect corundum.

It is hereby notified that the right to collect corundum in the Sidlaghatta Taluk will be sold by public auction on 2nd April 1917 at the Kolar District Office by the Deputy Commissioner as per Government Order No. G. 10217-18—Geol. 77-15-3, dated 25th January 1917.

2. The license to collect corundum in the said Taluk will be granted to the person who guarantees the highest minimum royalty.

3. If any person other than the owner of Survey No. 69 of Neradaguttahalli village of the said Taluk happens to be the highest bidder, the Government will acquire the surface right of the land in question and include it in the prospecting license to be granted to that person. The period for which the license may be granted shall be one year from the date thereof.

4. The fee for the license shall be Rs. 10 and the licensee will be required to deposit in the District Treasury the highest minimum royalty guaranteed by him within a week from the date of the sale. If the amount of guaranteed minimum royalty is not paid within a week, a resale will be held and the defaulting purchaser will be held responsible to make good any amount which may be less than the bid offered in the original sale.

5. The royalty to be paid by the licensee shall be Rs. 4 per khandi (850 lbs.) of corundum.

6. No corundum shall be removed from the licensed area without a written permit from the Amildar of the Taluk. When the licensee wishes to remove any corundum which has been collected, he shall forward to the Amildar a statement showing the amount of corundum collected from the licensed area together with the royalty due on the total quantity and request permission to remove the same from the place where it is to some specified destination. The Amildar may thereupon grant the permit required, taking such steps as he may consider necessary to satisfy himself of the correctness of the quantity to be removed.

7. If the total royalty paid during the term of the license at the rate of Rs. 4 per khandi exceeds the amount deposited according to para 4, the amount of the deposit shall be returned to the licensee upon the termination of the license. On the other hand if the royalty paid during the term of the license is less than the guaranteed minimum the deficit shall be made good from the amount deposited and the balance returned to the licensee.

8. The return of the deposit according to para 7 is subject to the due fulfillment on the part of the licensee of the terms and conditions of the license which shall be granted by the Director, Department of Mines and Geology.

P. F. BOWRING,
Deputy Commissioner.

KRISHNARAJA SAGARA.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 5 P.M. on 15th May 1917, for the supply of the undermentioned articles, required for the use of the North and South Banks of the Cauvery Reservoir Works, from June to December 1917.

2. An approximate estimate of quantity required is given in the list.

3. Tenders should be submitted in printed forms which may be obtained from the undersigned's office, and accompanied by a list in the form given below showing the rate at which the item specified in the list will be supplied.

4. The tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for the supply of Dindiga poles" and in default of which, tenders will be rejected. The earnest money of the unsuccessful tenderers will be returned.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the undersigned who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the notice board in the undersigned's office, and intimated to him in the usual course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive attention.